

Chambers of Senior Judge Karl S. Forester

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Karl S. Forester
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Kentucky 1962 BA, 1966 JD
Began Service: July 27, 1988
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Legal Practice: Attorney, Eugene Goss, Esq (1966-1968); Partner, Goss & Forester (1968-1975); Partner, Forester, Forester, Buttermore & Turner (1976-1988)

Current Memberships: American Association for Justice; American Judicature Society; Harlan County Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

Staff

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Education: Arkansas 1971 MBA; Kentucky 1979 JD
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Chambers of Senior Judge Joseph M. Hood

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Joseph M. Hood
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Kentucky 1965 BS, 1972 JD
Began Service: May 1, 1990
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Academic: Graduate Assistant in Economics, University of Kentucky (1965-1966)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable David Hermansdorfer, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1972-1976)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1976-1990); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (2005-2007)

Military Service: United States Army (1966-1970)

Current Memberships: Fayette County Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Sixth Circuit District Judges Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Mark Flores** (859) 233-2415
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Term Expires: September 2011
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Education: Kentucky 2010 JD
Career Law Clerk **Mary Ann Miranda** (859) 233-2415
Education: Transylvania 1997 BA; Vanderbilt 2002 JD
Career Law Clerk **Anne Boaz** (859) 233-2415
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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Robert E. Wier

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Robert E. Wier
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 2006
Term Expires: August 2014

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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Edward B. Atkins

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Edward B. Atkins
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: August 2006
Term Expires: August 2014

Staff

Law Clerk (Vacant) (606) 887-7956

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Candace J. Smith

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Candace J. Smith
Magistrate Judge

Education: Mount St Joseph 1986 BS; Salmon P Chase 1992 JD

Clerkships: Career Law Clerk, Chambers of District Judge David L. Bunning, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (2002-2010)

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Vicki Christian** (859) 392-7903
Education: Salmon P Chase 1991 JD

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Hanly A. Ingram

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Hanly A. Ingram
Magistrate Judge**Chambers of (recalled) Magistrate Judge J. Gregory Wehrman**

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J. Gregory Wehrman
Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Cincinnati 1966 BA; Kentucky 1969 JD
Began Service: January 1992
Term Expires: September 1, 2013
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1975-1992)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1969-1992)

Chambers of (recalled) Magistrate Judge J. Gregory Wehrman continued
Current Memberships: Kentucky Bar Association; Northern Kentucky Bar Association**Staff**

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Number of Judgeships: 3

Number of Vacancies: 1

Court Staff

Clerk of Court **Jerry D. Truitt** (859) 233-2608
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Education: Kentucky 1963 BA, 1971 JD

Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Joseph M. Scott, Jr.

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Joseph M. Scott, Jr.

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Notre Dame 1968 BA; Kentucky 1971 JD
Began Service: 1999
Term Expires: 2013

Judicial: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Joseph M. Scott, Jr., United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit (2005-2009)

Legal Practice: Stoll, Keenon & Park

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Cheryl E. James** (859) 233-2814
Judicial Assistant **Donna Famularo** (859) 233-2814

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Tracey N. Wise

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Tracey N. Wise

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Indiana 1980 BA, 1983 JD

Current Memberships: American College of Bankruptcy

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Lyndon Risner** (859) 233-2465
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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge (recalled) Joe Lee

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Joe Lee

Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1925
Education: Kentucky 1952 BA, 1955
Began Service: September 1, 1961

Academic: Adjunct Professor, College of Law, University of Kentucky (1972-1992)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable James B. Milliken, Kentucky Court of Appeals; Law Clerk The Honorable Hiram Church Ford, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky

Corporate: Editor-in-Chief, The American Bankruptcy Law Journal (1982-1990); Author, Bankruptcy Practice Manual (1995); Consultant, Bankruptcy Service, Lawyer's Edition

Military Service: United States Air Force (1943-1949)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; National Bankruptcy Conference

Staff

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Number of Judgeships: 5

Areas Covered: Counties of Adair, Allen, Ballard, Barren, Breckinridge, Bullitt, Butler, Caldwell, Calloway, Carlisle, Casey, Christian, Clinton, Crittenden, Cumberland, Daviess, Edmonson, Fulton, Graves, Grayson, Green, Hancock, Hardin, Hart, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Jefferson, Larue, Livingston, Logan, Lyon, Marion, Marshall, McCracken, McLean, Meade, Metcalfe, Monroe, Muhlenberg, Nelson, Ohio, Oldham, Russell, Simpson, Spencer, Taylor, Todd, Trigg, Union, Warren, Washington and Webster

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